

## SUTHERLAND TALKS FOR MEASURE

SUPPORTS TARIFF BILL AS REPORTED FROM FINANCE COMMITTEE.

DOES NOT FAVOR INCOME TAX

SAYS HE IS PROTECTIONIST WHO BELIEVES IN HAVING DUTIES TOO HIGH THAN TOO LOW.

CALLS DOWN ARMY ENGINEERS

CLARK OF MISSOURI SAYS THAT THEY VIRTUALLY TELL CONGRESS TO GO TO HELL.

Washington, May 17.—A unique and interesting report dealing with state taxation of manufacturing, mercantile transportation and transmission corporations was made public today by Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations. Part of the report transmitted to Taft concerns six New England states. It is expected that other parts will be made public later. A careful investigation of the laws of each state was made by Smith. The report presents in popular form a digest of the tax laws and methods of the administration.

Senator Sutherland spoke in support of the tariff bill as reported from the finance committee and against the addition of the income tax provision when the senate convened this morning. He said he was not a protectionist in spots, but believed if there was any question of the amount of the duty to be levied he preferred to solve it by having the duty a little high than too low. Concerning the income tax he said the framers of constitution had contemplated obtaining revenues by imposing taxes on class of subjects which the states did not or could not tax to the fullest extent. Any effort he said, to impose taxes upon objects of states' tax was bound to result in confusion and double taxation.

"Congress can go to hell," we will report when we get ready."

This, said Clark of Missouri, in the house of representatives today, was the alleged response given by the engineers' department of the army when asked for information regarding the result of the examination made by the engineers as to the desirability of maintaining a canal 14 feet deep from St. Louis to the mouth of the Mississippi river. The subject was brought up when Bartholdt, of Missouri, offered a resolution calling on the secretary of war for information. Alexander, of New York, declared that no report had been made Bartholdt said a report was made three months ago. At this juncture Clark made the statement quoted. The resolution failed of adoption.

**Swinburne Hauls Down Flag.**  
San Francisco, May 17.—Rear Admiral William T. Swinburne, commander of the Pacific fleet, hauled down his flag on the cruiser West Virginia today and Rear Admiral Uriel Sebree raised his flag as commanding officer on the cruiser Tennessee. There were no ceremonies attending the change. Swinburne having reached the age of retirement. A simple salute of thirteen guns being fired. The fleet sailed for Seattle to take part in the exposition.

**Naturalization Cases.**  
Lewis Hoban, who is in charge of Montezuma farm near Las Vegas hot springs, was examined by Judge W. J. Mills in open court this morning for a final certificate in naturalization. His witnesses were Ralph Gohlke and F. Le Due. The facts set up in his petition being proven, he was admitted to citizenship.

Simon Hoffman, a bookkeeper and accountant for Danziger Bros., was also put through the usual mill for

naturalization papers in court today, but his witnesses, Joseph Danziger and Sol Kauffman, could only testify that they had known him for three years. The law requires that a residence of five years be proven, so the petition of Mr. Hoffman was denied.

### Must Serve Sentence.

Washington, May 17.—Although tried on a charge other than that for which he was extradited, George D. Collins lost today in a decision of the supreme court of the United States which held in favor of Sheriff O'Neill of San Francisco. Collins was brought from Victoria on the charge of perjury and was acquitted. Later he was arrested on the charge of perjury alleged to have been committed while being previously tried. He brought suit on the ground that he was convicted for an offense other than that for which he was taken out of Canada.

### Autos Collide.

There was a head-on collision between autos driven by Dr. M. F. Des Marais and Charley Rogers Saturday night on the street near the Job flats. There are conflicting statements as to which driver had the right of way, or was keeping to the right side of the road—not to the left side, as they do in England.

Luckily no one was hurt. The Rogers machine had an axle bent in the mishap and the Des Marais horseless vehicle had a wheel torn off.

## TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS SET FOR GOAL TONIGHT

Secured at 3 p. m. .... 1750  
Still needed ..... 1250

—135 Members—

A goodly number of committeemen were hustling for the Y. M. C. A. this morning, and a somewhat larger bunch are out this afternoon. Results are being secured steadily, and, although a great effort will be required, the boosters are confident that success is assured. Two thousand dollars is the goal set for tonight, leaving a balance of \$1,000 for tomorrow.

The majority of the hustlers have agreed to put in all day tomorrow, and a pretty and effective sport on the home stretch is in prospect. Automobiles and carriages will be pressed into service so as to cover as much ground as possible in a short time.

There will be a gathering of all the workers for lunch at the building at 12:15 tomorrow, to make the last general survey of the field and arrange forces for the final scrimmage.

### Movements of Father Foerster.

The Raton Daily Range has the following to say of Rev. Fr. Foerster, who recently closed a most successful mission at the Church of Immaculate Conception in East Las Vegas:

"Father Foerster, who has been holding Mission services at the Catholic church in this city for the past ten days, was taken up to Johnson's Mesa yesterday by Father Cooney. Father Foerster will hold a short mission up on the mesa until Sunday, when he will return to Raton. He expects to hold services here on Sunday night, but will not know definitely until Sunday morning, when the service will be announced, if he can be here to hold it. On Monday he expects to take a trip to the park to see the beautiful scenery of the country surrounding."

### Remembered by Many.

Yesterday was Mrs. N. L. Rosenthal's 73rd natal day and she was cleverly and in some instances substantially remembered by all the children of the family now in Las Vegas and many friends with presents. The house was fairly banked up with flowers and numerous telegrams of congratulation were received from friends and relatives at a distance.

A stream of visitors poured into her home all day long and the key in the front door lock was not turned till after midnight.

### Five More Hanged.

Constantinople, May 17.—Five more men were hanged this morning in front of the buildings which front the Mosque of St. Sophia, Stamboul. They had been found guilty by court martial of complicity in the murder of their officers in the outbreak on April 13.

## GIVEN LONG TERM IN PRISON TO OPEN FAIR

CAPTAIN PETER C. HAINS, JR., MUST SERVE FROM EIGHT TO SIXTEEN YEARS.

JUDGE MAKES STRONG TALK

LAW DOES NOT ALLOW MAN TO WREAK VENGEANCE ON MAN WHO WRONGED HIM.

HAINS TAKES VERDICT HARD

DOES NOT SEEM TO UNDERSTAND QUESTIONS AND LAWYERS ANSWER FOR HIM.

Flushing, N. Y., May 17.—Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., convicted of the murder of William E. Annis, at the Bayside Yacht club last August, following an alleged undue friendship between Mrs. Hains and Annis, was sentenced to serve an indeterminate term in the penitentiary from eight to sixteen years this morning at Judge Garretson.

The prisoner seemed dazed and unable to understand the questions put to him by the judge. Lawyers stood on either side of him and helped him answer the questions.

Justice Garretson said the defendant had had a fair trial and had been defended by experienced lawyers. Although there had been much sympathy injected into the case, the law did not allow a man to punish another for a wrong suffered at his hands or wreak vengeance on a man who had wronged him. After the judge pronounced sentence, Hains sat down and dropped his head on a table. He seemed overcome for a minute and then sat staring at the judge. The judge gave him twenty-four hours to make an appeal and the prisoner was turned over to the sheriff.

After Hains had been taken to jail, Attorney McIntyre said he was not decided whether he would take an appeal. He said he would apply to the federal court and ask for a habeas corpus on the ground that the conviction was unconstitutional. He declared Hains was never in the jurisdiction of the court and being an army officer, should have been tried before a federal court.

## POTTER FOUND GUILTY SECOND DEGREE MURDER

After a sensational trial, Alvin Potter was convicted of second degree murder in the district court at Taos, New Mexico for the killing of R. C. Pooler, a prominent citizen of that place. The jury brought in a verdict after being out fifteen hours. Pooler was shot through a window two months ago while he was sitting in the dining room of his home one night reading and died in his wife's arms.

Potter was arrested soon afterwards and circumstantial evidence against him was strong.

The maximum penalty for second degree murder is life imprisonment.

Potter came to New Mexico a few months ago from Colorado, where he had been in jail at Grand Junction on a charge of train robbery near Parachute several years ago. He was indicted, but the case ended in a mistrial and he was discharged.

### Jurors Indisposed.

Thomas E. Tipton, a member of the United States petit jury, has been excused from further service in that capacity, Felix Garcia having been drawn to act in his stead.

Jose Dolores Medina and Senario Sanchez, members of the U. S. trial jury, are under the weather today and unfit to serve their country in the jury box.

## GOLDEN KEY TO OPEN FAIR

PRESIDENT TAFT PRESENTED WITH BEAUTIFUL SYMBOL TO OPEN BIG SHOW.

MOUNTED IN ALASKA MARBLE

MACHINERY WILL BE PUT IN OPERATION FROM WHITE HOUSE.

DELEGATION MAKES SPEECHES

PRESENTATION MADE BY SECRETARY BALLINGER AND WASHINGTON CONGRESSMEN.

Washington, May 17.—Taft will open the Yukon-Alaska exposition at Seattle, June 1, with a splendid gold telegraphic key, presented him today by Secretary Ballinger and the congressional delegation from Washington. The key is mounted in Alaska marble and ornamented by two gold nuggets from Alaska. The key will be connected with the White house telegraph wires and the president will touch it on the day of the opening, thereby setting in motion the machinery at the exposition. Speeches were made by Ballinger and Taft.

**Who Is He?**  
Deputy Sheriff Thomas Urquiza, of Guadalupe county, on his way across the country the other day, found at Colón, a man who was undoubtedly crazy and took him to Santa Rosa, Rosa.

When he was induced to talk he gave his name as Wilbur Lee, said he had lived in Las Vegas seven years, had relatives in Roswell, his father, Joe Lee, still lived there.

He is a man about 35 years old, 5 feet four inches in height, heavy built, weight 155 pounds.

He is in the county jail at Santa Rosa awaiting identification.

### More Licenses Taken Out.

A fishing license has been issued by John Thompson to W. R. Huff, who is here from Sullivan, Ill., with his family for climatic benefit for one of his sons. One of the latter, R. N. Huff, has also taken out an angling permit.

Walter Sanner holds the record up to date as the youngest applicant to whom a bird license has been issued. He is but twelve years of age, is four feet ten inches high, has blue eyes and tilts the beam at only 80 pounds. He resides at 1019 Second street. Walter says he only wants to hunt coyotes and jack rabbits.

### Violated Edmunds Act.

In United States court for the fourth judicial district, Saturday afternoon, Ursula Archuleta, wife of Pablo Garcia, of Buena Vista, Mora county, pleaded guilty to a violation of the Edmunds act with Frank Korte and was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary by Judge W. J. Mills. However, the sentence was suspended after having been passed.

Frank Korte was arraigned in court this morning on a similar charge. He pleaded not guilty and his case was set for trial tomorrow morning.

### Only Three Indictments.

Up to noon today, the U. S. grand jury had returned only three indictments. It was thought this morning that the body would make its report to the court this afternoon and be discharged.

### Return From Sad Trip.

George Connor, depot baggageman at Lamy, reached Las Vegas Saturday evening from having accompanied the body of his sister, Mrs. F. J. Burke, back to Jacksonville, Ala., for burial, and departed for the junction yesterday afternoon. Other members of the funeral party were the husband of the deceased, Miss Mary

Burke, his sister, and Miss Annie Grace Connor.

Mr. Burke and the young women returned to Denver, but will come to Las Vegas on an extended visit, reaching here the latter part of this week.

### Discharged Grand Jury.

Tulsa, Okla., May 17.—Twenty out of town witnesses arrived today to testify before the third federal jury investigation of the Muskogee town lot cases. Judge Marshall summarily dismissed the second grand jury Saturday on the representation of members that they had been improperly influenced and a new jury was ordered to convene tomorrow.

### Will Come to Fort Bayard.

Washington, May 17.—James T. Williams, Jr., today gave Taft his resignation as civil service commissioner. He was appointed only a few weeks ago, leaving the service because of impaired health. He will take up his residence at Fort Bayard, New Mexico, where he hopes to be benefited.

### Power Company Incorporated.

The Las Vegas Light and Power company has been incorporated with a capital stock of \$300,000. The company has filed its papers in Denver, the incorporators being Dr. J. M. Cunningham, William G. Haydon, William S. Hie, James R. Thorpe, Charles H. Durbin.

## MURDERER SEES TWIN AND LOSES HIS MIND

Zacatecas, Mex., May 17.—Had not the twin brother of Eustacia Aguilar returned suddenly after an absence of years the murder of the latter might never become cleared up. The twin brother, Juan, walking into the street, came upon his un Antonio Aguilar. The latter fell on his knees in horror and babbled the story of the crime. He believed the ghost of the nephew he had murdered and in telling the details of the crime, went hopelessly insane.

### Fine Specimens.

Nairobi, May 17.—Edmund Heller, one of the zoologists with the Roosevelt expedition, came to Nairobi this morning with some fifty specimens of animal and bird life to be preserved here. It included six lions, one rhinoceros, two giraffes, twenty smaller kinds of game and a variety of birds.

### Territorial Court.

Territorial court for San Miguel county was convened by Judge W. J. Mills this morning, the third Monday of May, and immediately adjourned till next Monday, the 24th when both the territorial grand and petit juries will be empaneled.

### Broke Her Arm.

While playing in the dooryard at No. 923 Jackson avenue today about 11 o'clock, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Linberg, who have just arrived here from St. Louis, accidentally fell and broke a bone of one of her arms.

### Killed a Bear.

News from the Beulah neighborhood on the upper Sapello is that Elder S. L. Barker opened the hunting season in grand style by killing a large cinnamon bear. What's the number of your general hunting permit, Elder?

### Lively Scrimmage.

Thomas C. de Baca and John Sweeney became engaged in a scrimmage Saturday evening, in which, not only hot words, but hard blows, were exchanged. Both men were arrested and were to have their trials on both sides of the river.

### Grand Ball.

The local castle of the Royal Highlanders will give a grand ball tomorrow night at the O. R. C. hall. A fine floor, good music and refreshments assured all who attend.

### Big Damage Suit.

The Chavez \$10,000 damage suit against the St. Louis, Rocky Mountain & Pacific Railway company is on trial in the U. S. court this afternoon.

### Will Confer Degree.

Initiatory and third degrees will be conferred on candidates at the I. O. O. F. lodge this evening.

## BIG WELCOME GIVEN TO FLEET

CAPTAINS OF ASIATIC SQUADRON GET AUDIENCE WITH EMPEROR.

HONORS PAID TO AMERICANS

REAR ADMIRAL HARBER IMPRESSED WITH SINCERITY OF CORDIAL RELATIONS.

OFFICER WINS MANY FRIENDS

ONE OF MOST POPULAR AMERICANS EVER ENTERTAINED IN JAPAN.

Tokio, May 17.—Rear Admiral Giles B. Harber, commanding the Asiatic squadron of the Pacific fleet, with his staff and the captain of the ships comprising the squadron were granted an audience with the emperor and empress yesterday afternoon. The officers were presented by American Ambassador O'Brien, and Admiral Harber was engaged in conversation with the emperor for several minutes.

In an interview given to the press today Admiral Harber said:

"I came to Japan entirely on my own initiative and had no thought of any special reception to the squadron, but on my arrival I found that preparations had already been made to give us a hearty, even enthusiastic welcome, to all of which my own feelings naturally and cordially responded. It seemed exceedingly opportune that this visit should occur just when Admiral Iijel's training squadron was being welcomed at San Francisco, a place which despite the clamor raised by one element, has proved by the sincere hospitality displayed by another element, that at heart the good people of both countries have not only a desire for the continuance of amicable relations but also a sincere respect and regard for each other."

"The official entertainments and social receptions tendered to my officers, my men and myself by the Japanese have impressed me deeply. The kindly words and sentiments expressed have been so thoroughly spontaneous, that no one present could doubt the depth and sincerity of the cordial relations, that have always existed between the two countries. This feeling is now deeper than ever and stronger than it ever was before. Admiral Harber has made an unusually favorable impression on all with whom he has come into contact during the visit of the squadron and will leave Japan as one of the most popular American officers ever entertained here."

### Mortuary Matters.

Henry Korendyke died at the home of his parents, 1036 Railroad avenue, Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. Funeral services were held this morning at the undertaking establishment of J. C. Johansen & Son.

The funeral of little Mildred Rife, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rife, took place from the saddened home No. 907 Third street, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

### Commencement Exercises.

The commencement exercises of the Central high school began in Albuquerque, Sunday evening at the Presbyterian church with the baccalaureate service and will close on Thursday, May 20, and a most interesting program of exercises has been arranged for the four days.

Rev. Fletcher Cook, rector of St. John's Episcopal church, delivered the baccalaureate address Sunday evening.

### Badly Beaten.

Buck Childs, a well known colored man, was badly beaten by another colored man named John Callaway, on the East side last night.